

Long Beach Department of Health and Human Services Communicable Disease Control Program

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TO: All Healthcare Providers, Laboratory Directors, and other mandated

reporters in Long Beach

FROM: Anissa Davis, M.D., M.P.H.

City Health Officer

SUBJECT: HEALTH OFFICER ORDER—ADDITION OF COVID-19 TO THE

REPORTABLE DISEASES AND CONDITIONS LIST

Long Beach Department of Public Health is adding Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) and the SARS-CoV-2 virus to the list of reportable diseases by the authority of the Health Officer under the California Code of Regulations, Title 17, Section 2500 and 2505, respectively, to improve the health of Long Beach residents.

ORDER: Pursuant to my authority under section 120175 of the California Health and Safety Code, I hereby order the following diseases and conditions to be added to the Reportable Diseases and Conditions lists:

§2500 (Providers)

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

§2505 (Laboratories)

SARS-CoV-2 virus

DURATION OF ORDER: This Order will remain in effect until rescinded by the Health Officer.